

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Jeff Korn	Art Unit :	3737
Serial No. :	10/615,279	Examiner :	Baisakhi Roy
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Title :	OPTICAL COUPLER FOR ROTATING CATHETER		

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated October 2, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-16.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for one month to February 2, 2008 is enclosed.

Please apply the \$255 charge for the appeal fee, along with any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 12258-036001.

Respectfully submitted,

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